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## IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA FOR THE COUNTY OF SAN DIEGO

PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA, ex rel. Edmund G. Brown, Jr., Attorney General of the State of California.

Plaintiff.

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R.J. REYNOLDS TOBACCO COMPANY, a New Jersey corporation,

Defendant.

CASE NO. JCCP 4041

## [PROPOSED] ORDER RE SCHEDULING OF DISCOVERY AND TRIAL

Date:

October 2, 2008

Time:

2:00 p.m. 71

Department: Judge:

Hon. Ronald S. Prager

On September 24, 2008, at 10:00 a.m., a status conference was held in this case regarding various discovery issues, the trial readiness conference, and the trial date. On October 2, 2008, at 2:00 p.m., a further telephonic status conference was held regarding these subjects. Deputy Attorneys General Shari B. Posner and Jeanne Finberg appeared for the People of the State of California. Robert C. Wright of Wright & L' Estrange and William T. Plesec of Jones Day appeared for R.J. Reynolds Tobacco Company.

The Court having reviewed the progress of fact and expert discovery in the case, considered the arguments of counsel, and good cause appearing,

## IT IS ORDERED that: 1. All discovery shall be completed by January 2, 2009; 2. A Trial Readiness Conference is set for January 9, 2009, at 9:30 a.m., in Department 71 of this Court; and Trial is set for January 20, 2009, at 10:00 a.m., in Department 71 of this Court. Dated: October 24, 2008 Judge of the Superior Co **ORDER PRESENTED BY:** JONES DAY and **WRIGHT & L'ESTRANGE** Attorneys for R.J. Reynolds Tobacco Company Dated: October 45, 2008 APPROVED AS TO FORM: THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA Dated: October 5, 2008 Jeanne Finberg Deputy Attorney General

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